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1. The Soviet Trade Delegation in Bern was reported in late March 1951 to be interested in purchasing the following items of industrial equipment:
 - a. Two blowers ("Geblase") for hydrogen with a capacity of 6,000 cubic meters per hour at 0° Centigrade. Each blower must be equipped with a 500-volt electric motor in an explosion-proof setting.
 - b. Seven nitrogen vacuum compressors, each with a capacity of 3,460 cubic meters per hour. Required are compressors similar to type 3V-30 of the firm of Klein Schanzolin and Beckel (sic).*
 - c. Four ethane compressors, each with a capacity of 1,000 cubic meters per hour. Required are compressors similar to type 2DV 8-5 of the firm of Balke (sic).**

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* [REDACTED] Comment: A firm by this name making pumps and compressors is located in Frankenthal, Germany.

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** [REDACTED] Comment: There are several firms of this name in Germany which might make this type of equipment.

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